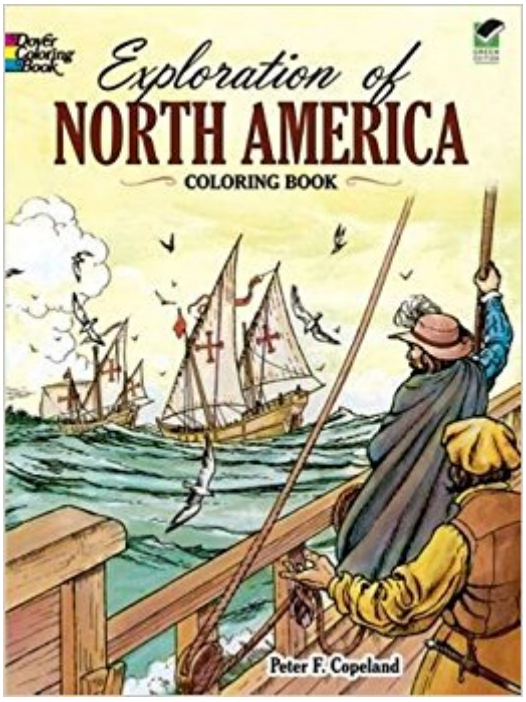
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Synopsis

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Book Information

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Customer Reviews

The pictures are really nice, and appropriate for a 4th or 5th grader who would be studying this content in school. The text is informative, but the reading level is difficult. I purchased this to help a 5th grader who struggles with reading so that he could learn the history in a different way. Easier to read text would have been better, I think, in a coloring book.

I like that the pictures are very detailed, especially since my 8 year old needs a little creative supplement to her TruthQuest American History curriculum. These pictures are detailed, but not so detailed that she gets bored. They ARE to detailed for my toddler, he just scribbles because it's too much for his head to process.Also, I like the text on each page informing the artist about the event pictured in the page.

Copeland is my favorite and I have a lot of these books, he is well written, well researched and always interesting. Excellent for children and old people who need a refresher course.

Nice. I like the pictures. This coloring book is going to be a joy to share.

Good product, good service!

LOVE this book. Pictures are great!!

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